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Bureau of Nutrition Services

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SUBJECT: New materials

This memo contains information about two new fact sheets. Your local agency will receive copies of both fact sheets within the next two weeks. As a reminder, fact sheets are for WIC staff education only. Please give this information to your breastfeeding coordinator and nutrition education coordinator.

- Fact Sheet No. 24, Type I Diabetes This new fact sheet provides information for WIC staff on Type 1 diabetes. It includes treatment goals, management of Type 1 diabetes and ways the WIC staff can assist people with Type 1 diabetes. A glossary of diabetes terms is also included. To order additional copies, use the Texas WIC Materials Order Form and fax to the Publications Coordinator, at (512) 458-7446.
- Fact Sheet No. 25, Type 2 Diabetes This new fact sheet provides information on Type 2 Diabetes. It includes information on the prevention and management of the disease. To order additional copies, use the Texas WIC Materials Order Form and fax to the Publications Coordinator, at (512) 458-7446.

If you have questions or require additional information about these materials, please contact Ms. Elaine Goodson, Special Projects Nutritionist, Bureau of Nutrition Services, at (512) 458-7111, extension 3467 or elaine.goodson@tdh.state.tx.us or Ms. Mary Van Eck, Nutrition Education Coordinator, Bureau of Nutrition Services, at (512) 458-7111, extension 3484 or mary.vaneck@tdh.state.tx.us.